

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the specification of the patent as follows:

At column 3 lines 51-57, please make the following amendment:

The present invention is thus directed to a monoclonal antibody specific for a human colon carcinoma-associated protein antigen wherein the antigen is specifically immunogenic in humans, and the antigen is not detectable on normal human tissues [or on human carcinoma cells other than colon, breast and ovarian carcinoma cells].

At column 3 line 58 through column 4 line 2, please make the following amendments:

The present invention is also directed to a chimeric antibody specific for a human colon carcinoma-associated protein antigen wherein the antigen is not detectable on normal human tissues[or on human carcinoma cells other than colon carcinoma cells]. Mouse hybridoma PCA 31.1 has been deposited at ATCC on September 22, 2000 and assigned ATCC Accession No. [HB-12314] PTA-2497. Mouse hybridoma PCA 33.28 has been deposited at ATCC on August 26, 2003 and assigned ATCC Accession No. [HB-12315] PTA-5413. Cells transfected with chimeric 31.1 have been deposited at ATCC on March 13, 1997 and assigned ATCC Accession No. CRL-12316. The above deposits [were made] are maintained at American Type Culture Collection, [12301 Parklawn Drive, Rockville, Md. 20862 USA on Mar. 13, 1997] 10801 University Boulevard, Manassas, VA 20110-2209.